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Transmittal of Project No. 42.1024, East German Imports from the West (excluding Western Germany) which are of Crucial Importance to the East German Economy

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2. The scope of the paper is limited to the specific request and by the short deadline but within these limitations represents a competent research product.

3. No special problems arose in the preparation of the report.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Economic Research

TO: Chief, Planning and Review Staff

SUBJECT: Transmission of Draft Report, Ch/E Project No. 42.1024

Title: East German Imports from the West (excluding Western Germany)  
which are of crucial importance to the East German Economy

Author: [REDACTED]

ENCLOSURE: Subject draft report (Original and two copies)

1. Enclosure is forwarded herewith for review and publication. Recommended category: ☐ IM ☐ RR ☐ FR ☐ RA ☒ Other.
2. Statement of coordination attached, with initials of individuals and their units.
3. Arrangements for maps and/or graphics through St/PB with Cartographic Division.
4. Recommended Dissemination: ☐ Standard ☒ Requester ☒ NOFORN  
☐ SIC Subcommittees ☐ Other, foreign, etc. (attach list)
5. Has information on US military end products or manpower been used? Explain. No.
6. Has direct use been made of the intelligence or information of another agency. No.
7. Have all sources been considered in the preparation of this report? No.
8. Man-hours utilized by this division in producing this report: 24  
Branches of other CRR Divisions contributing to this report, and (if available)  
man-hours utilized by each: I/MM, I/TH, I/EE,M/NF, M/CH, M/FM
9. Estimate Cards: ☐ Have been submitted to Central Economic Estimates File.  
☐ Are attached.
10. The analyst responsible for consultation is:

[REDACTED] S/TF 8182  
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11. Gaps in Intelligence procedures of the Analysts' Manual Notice (check one)
  - a. Intelligence information gaps disclosed in this project are covered specifically in existing collection requirements. ☐
  - b. Those intelligence information gaps disclosed in this study which were not previously filed as requirements have been transmitted to St/PB in the form of a requirements memorandum, a copy of which is attached. ☒
  - c. Notice is inapplicable to this project. ☒ 25X1A
12. Comments:

Chief, Director Division

\* The classification of this transmittal sheet will be changed to conform to the classification of the draft report which it covers.

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